IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS

No. 23-1022 T (Judge Zachary N. Somers)

GIORA ERLICH,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE UNITED STATES,

Defendant.

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the Court's Order dated October 27, 2023 (Doc. 8) (the Order) (staying the proceedings, and directing the parties to file joint status reports every 60 days), the parties, plaintiff Giora Erlich, and defendant the United States, respectfully submit this Joint Status Report.

The parties report that on December 11, 2023, the United States approved the recommendation of defendant's trial counsel for an administrative resolution of this case.

Defendant's trial counsel accordingly has requested issuance of an overpayment from IRS Office of Chief Counsel.

The parties therefore request that the Court continue to stay this case, pending processing of the overpayment. Pursuant to the Order, the parties will submit their next joint status report on or before Friday, February 9, 2024, unless a stipulation of dismissal is filed before then.

Dated: December 11, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

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